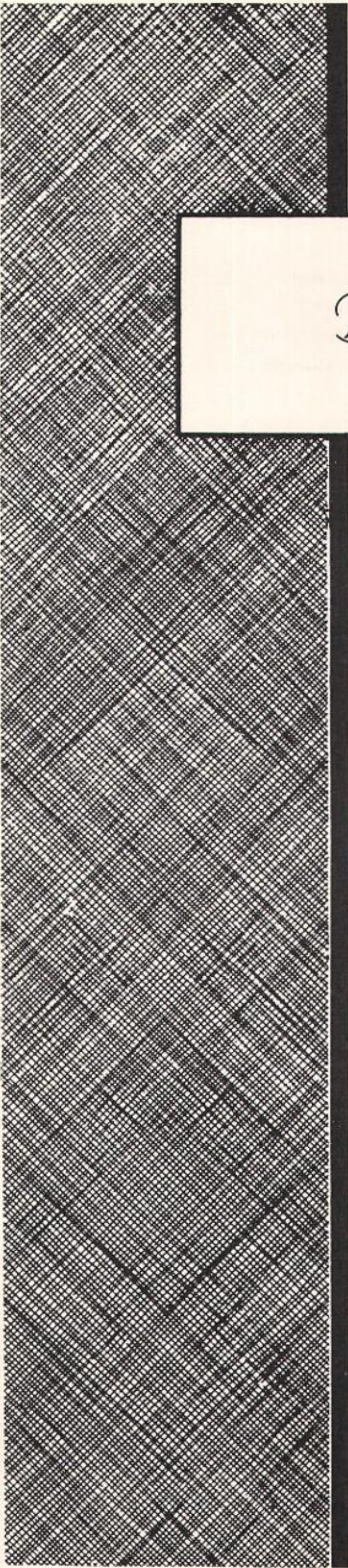




PIRATE '55

The
PIRATE



Dedication

We, the staff of the 1955 Pirate, proudly dedicate this annual to the citizens of this community who help make possible the fine education that each boy and girl receives. They have been effective in giving every student greater opportunities for learning so that he will be better prepared to go forward into the future. Without the untiring patronage and munificence of these people, it would not be possible to have the school that we have today. We sincerely wish to extend a token of appreciation to those individuals who have so unselfishly given of their time and efforts to the interests and advancements of Lake Valley School.

Superintendent's Message

Dear Students:

Democracy is the hope of a free world today - and democracy's greatest ally is unity of thought. If we are to be responsible for making democracy continue to work, then we must practice it in both thought and deed in our daily lives.

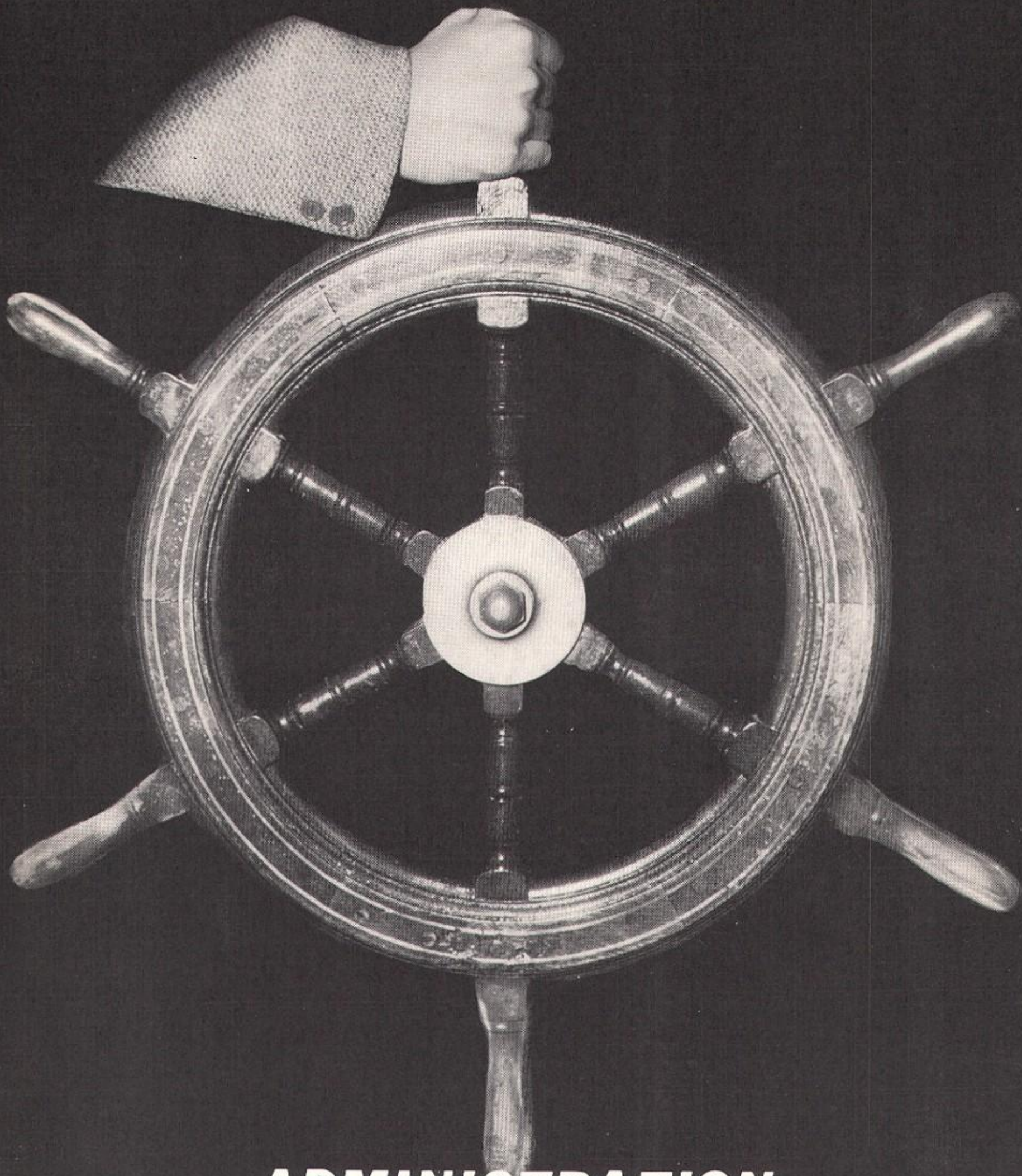
Such as are your habitual thoughts such also will be the character of your mind, for the soul is dyed by the thoughts.

Sincerely,

Elwood Riley

Elwood Riley





ADMINISTRATION

Board of Education



RAY SMITH, Clerk - H. L. MUSE, Vice President
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Mt. View, Oklahoma

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Mrs Spencer

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FACULTY

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Mt. View, Oklahoma



MR. VINCENT

MISS SMITH



MR. ADAMS

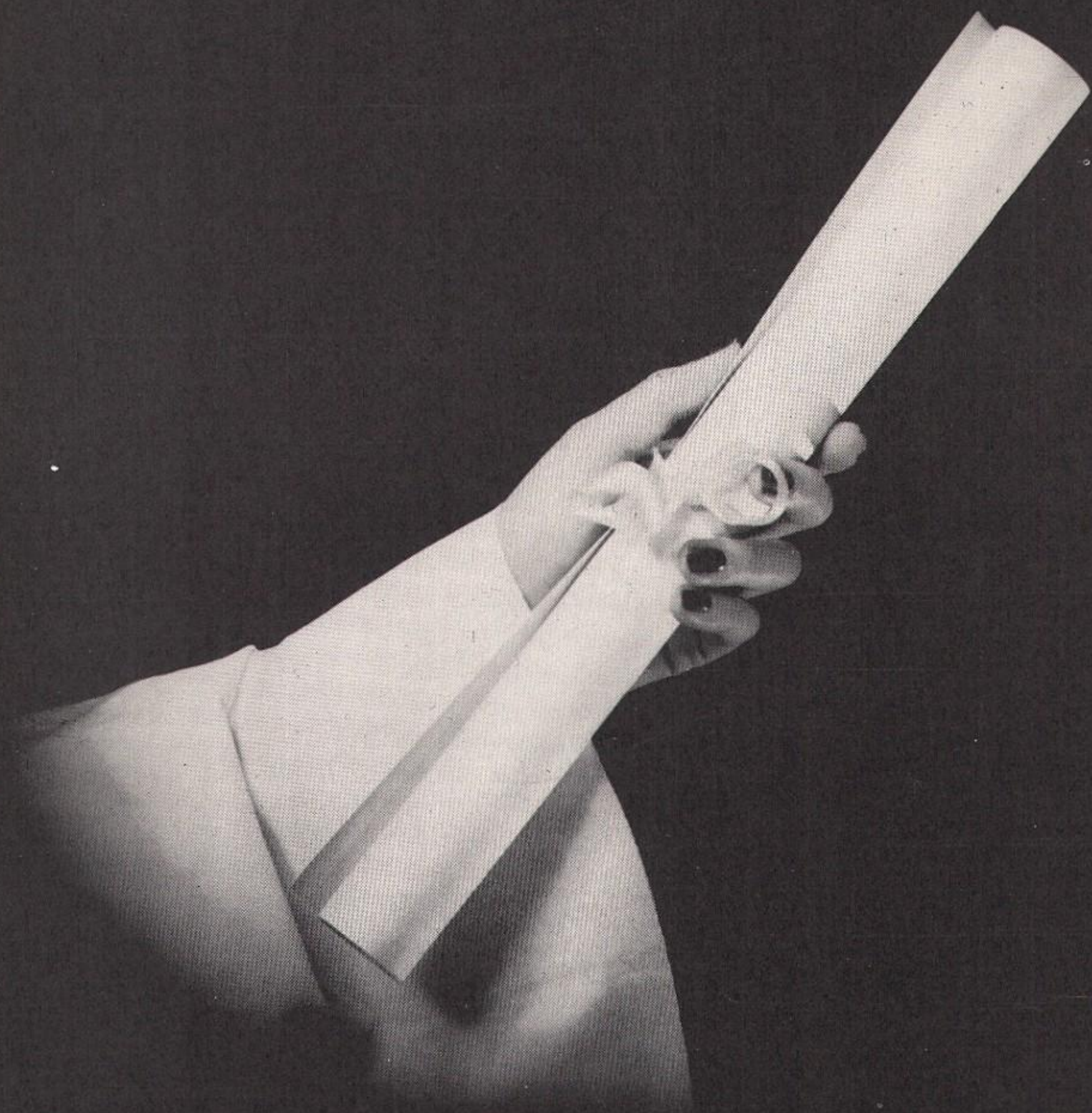
MISS SQUIRES



MR. REYNOLDS

MISS KRAUSE





SENIORS



Senior Officers

Reporter - - - - - IVA DELL ARGANBRIGHT

Vice President - - - - - LARRY HALFORD

Secretary - - - - - SAN PIERCE

President - - - - - C. W. SHARP

Class Parents - - - - - MR. AND MRS. TINY PIERCE

Sponsor - - - - - DORTHA SMITH

TRUITT BUTANE
Carnegie, Oklahoma

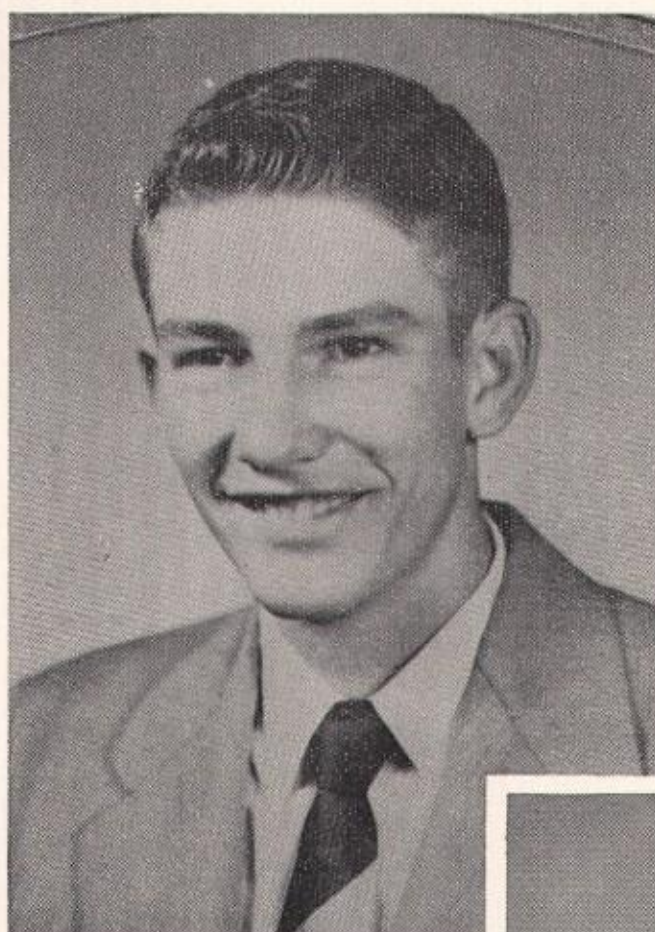
PAYMASTER GIN
Mt. View, Oklahoma

FARMER'S CO-OP
Mt. View, Oklahoma



C. W. SHARP

Class President
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
4-H Club 1-2-3-4
Music 3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play

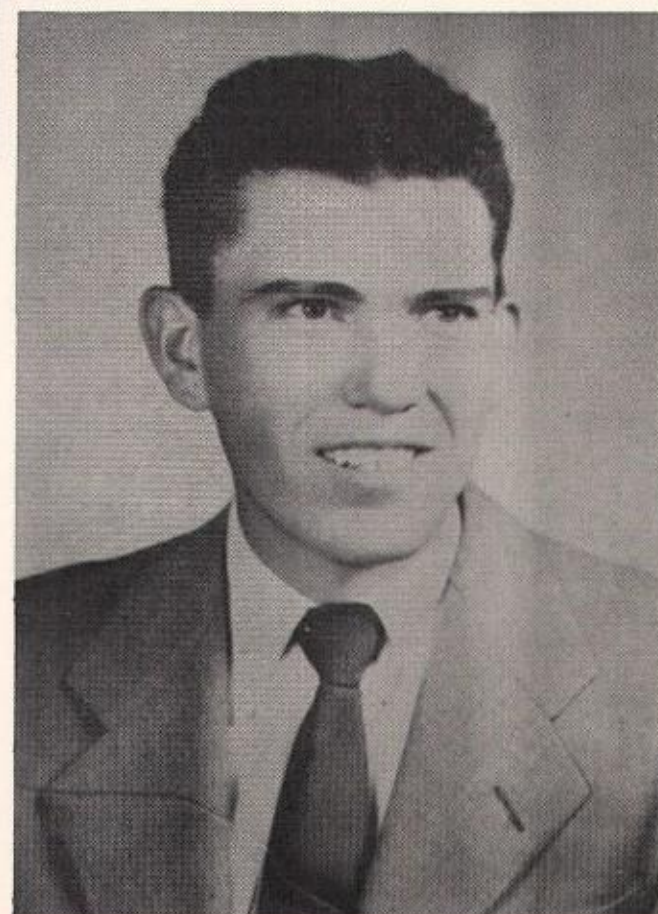


LARRY D. HALFORD

Vice President
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
4-H Club 1-2-3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
Music 3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play

LELAND WOMACK

FFA 1-2-3
4-H Club 4
Music 4
Annual Staff 4
Basketball 4
Baseball 3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play



SAN PIERCE

Secretary of Class 1-2-3-4
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Softball 1-2-3
4-H Club 1-2-3-4
Music 3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
Editor School Paper 4
Assistant Editor School Paper 3
Senior Play
Junior Play



JOYCE ANN HAGGARD

Salutatorian
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Softball 1-2-3-4
School Paper 3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
4-H Club 1-2
Music 3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play



JOYCE RICHEY

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Softball 1-2-3-4
4-H Club 1-2-3-4
Paper Staff 3-4
Editor of Annual 4
Annual Staff 3
Music 3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play



VONDILEE BETCHE

Music 3-4
Annual Staff 4
Paper Staff 4
4-H Club 1
Junior Play
Senior Play



BOBBY VICKERY

Basketball 1-2-3-4
Baseball 1-2-3-4
Junior Play
Senior Play

BETTY LOU WOMACK

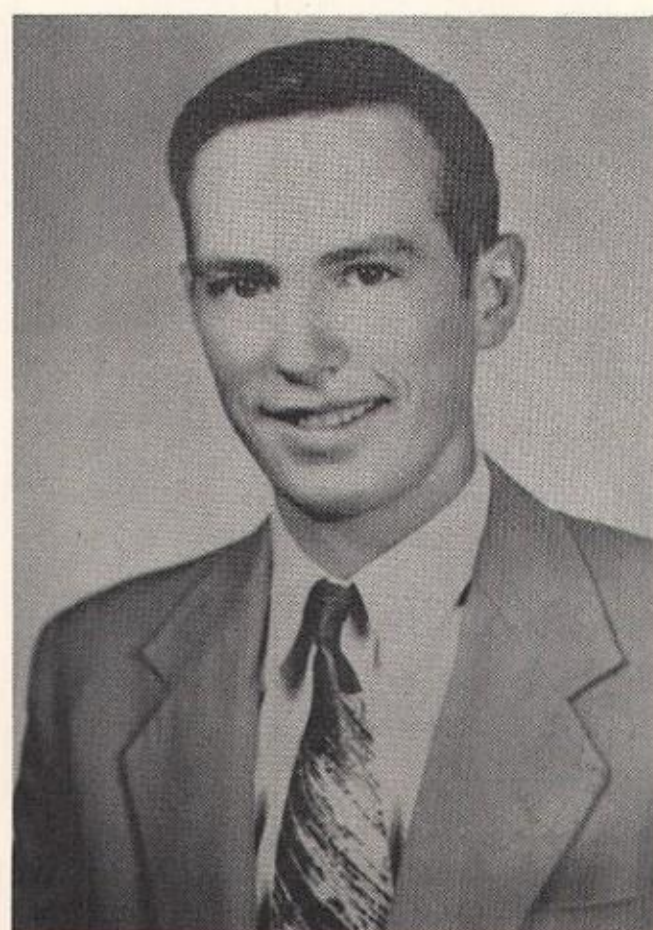
Music 1-2-3-4
FHA 1-2-3
Paper Staff 3-4
Annual Staff 4
Junior Play
Senior Play





IVA DELL ARGANBRIGHT
 Valedictorian
 Paper Staff 3-4
 Music 3; Junior Play
 Senior Play

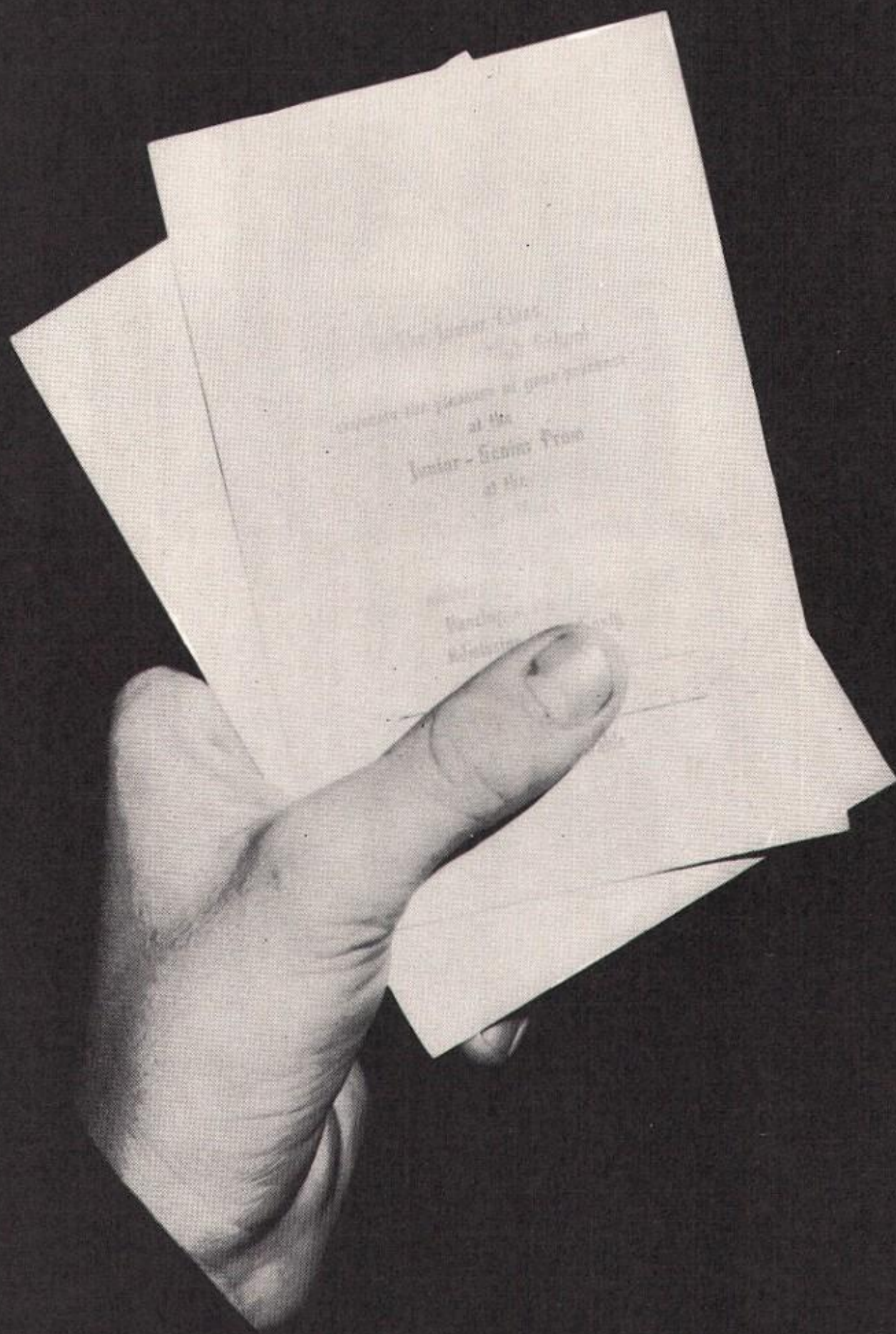
LOYD ASHENFELTER
 Baseball 1-2-3-4
 4-H Club 1-2-3-4
 Student Council 4
 Junior Play
 Senior Play



HAL LOVING
 4-H Club 1-2-3-4
 Student Council 4
 Basketball 1-2
 Junior Play
 Senior Play

WANDA McCLURE
 Music 3-4
 Senior Play





JUNIORS



Junior Officers

Secretary - - - - - LEOLA ALLEN
 Reporter - - - - - CLAUDINE IGO
 President - - - - - MELBA McCORMICK
 Student Council - - - - - IDA FAYE ANDREWS, KENNETH DAVIS

 Class Parents - - - - - MR. AND MRS. RAY ROWLAN
 Vice President - - - - - KENNETH ISAAC
 Class Sponsor - - - - - MAC D. VINCENT, JR.

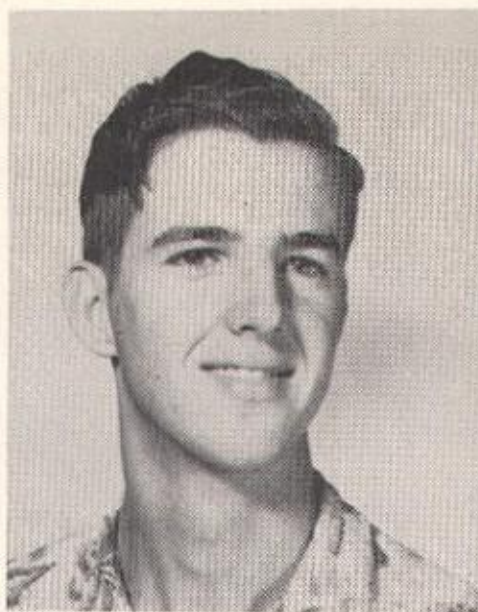
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 Gotebo

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 Mt. View

CORNER CAFE
 Gotebo

KENNETH DAVIS

LEOLA MAE ALLEN



CLAUDINE IGO



THIESSEN'S FOOD STORE
Gotebo, Oklahoma



MELBA JOYCE McCORMICK

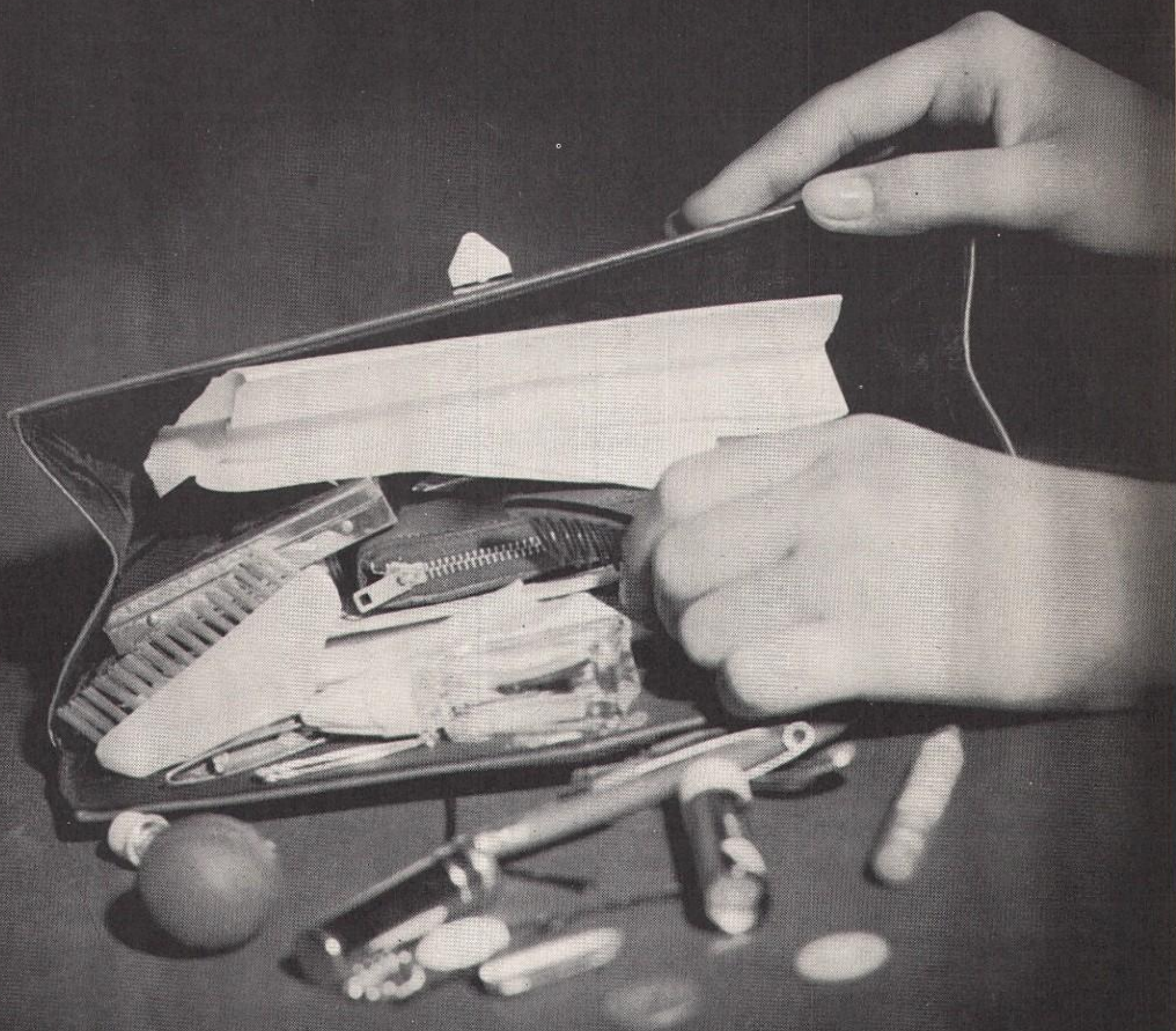
KENNETH ISSAC



IDA FAYE ANDREWS

AUBREY DEAN STURGEON

BOLAR HARDWARE
Gotebo, Oklahoma



SOPHOMORES



Sophomore Officers

Treasurer - - - - -	Phyllis Garner
Vice President - - - - -	Edna Medders
President - - - - -	Geneva Betche
Reporter - - - - -	Georgia Womack
Secretary - - - - -	Lillie Mae Ryn
Song Leader - - - - -	Bobby Dempsey
Class Parents - - - - -	Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Franklin
Sponsor - - - - -	Joe Reynolds
Student Council - - - - -	Mary Lena Morris
Game Leader - - - - -	Calvin Franklin

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Gotebo

SON'S CAFE
Gotebo

C. G. JUNG
Gotebo



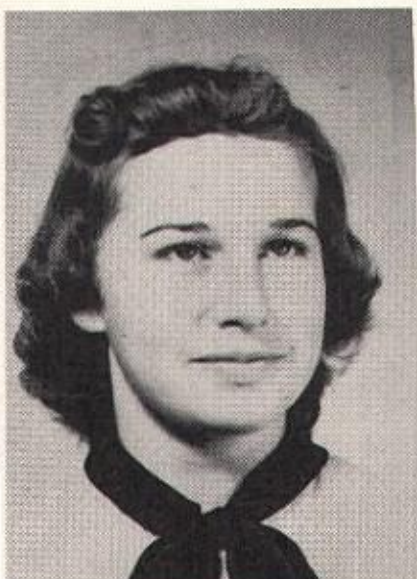
Mary Lena Morris



Edna Medders



Georgia Womack



Geneva Betcher

Bobby Dempsey

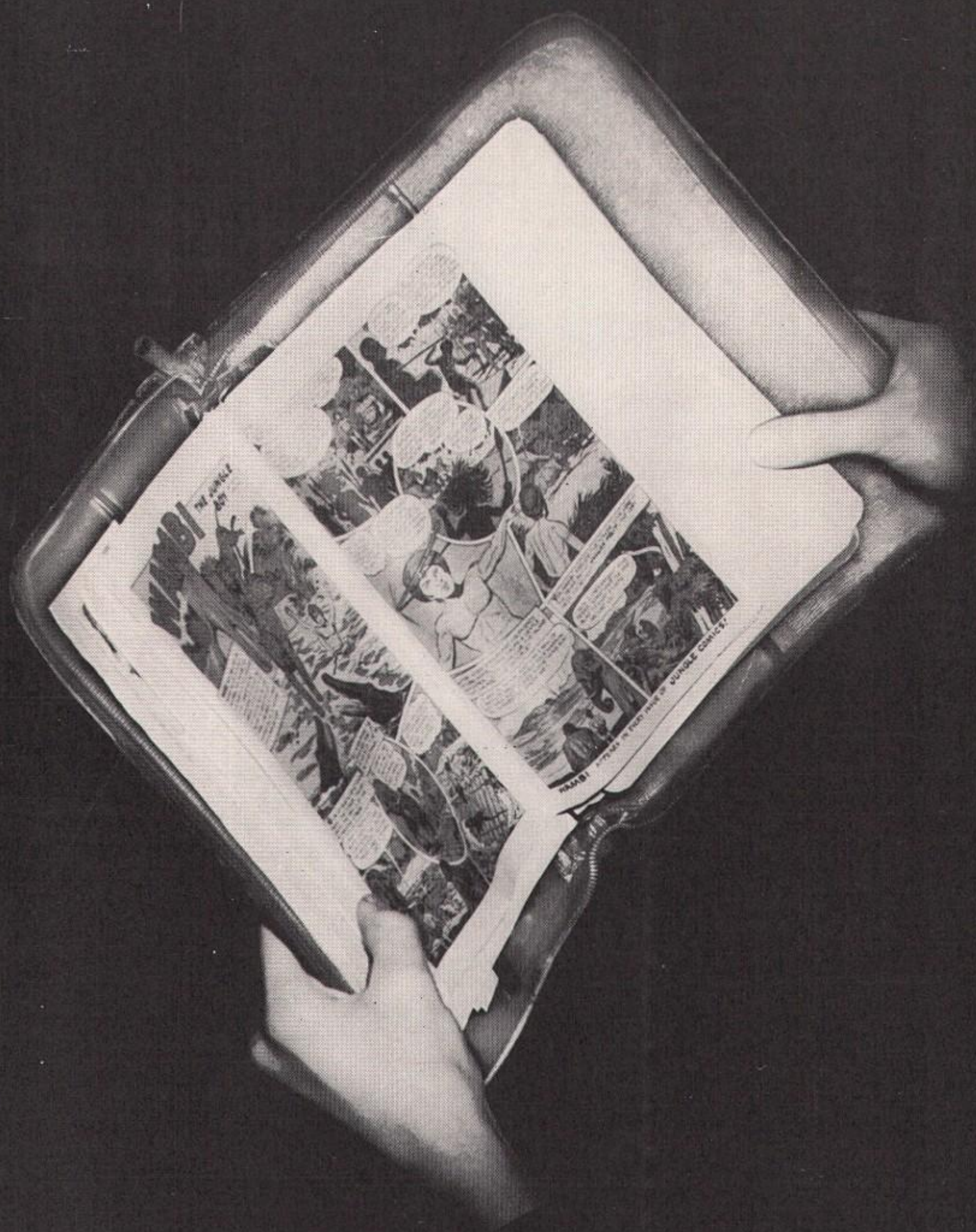
Calvin Franklin



Phyllis Garner

Lillie Mae Ryan





FRESHMEN



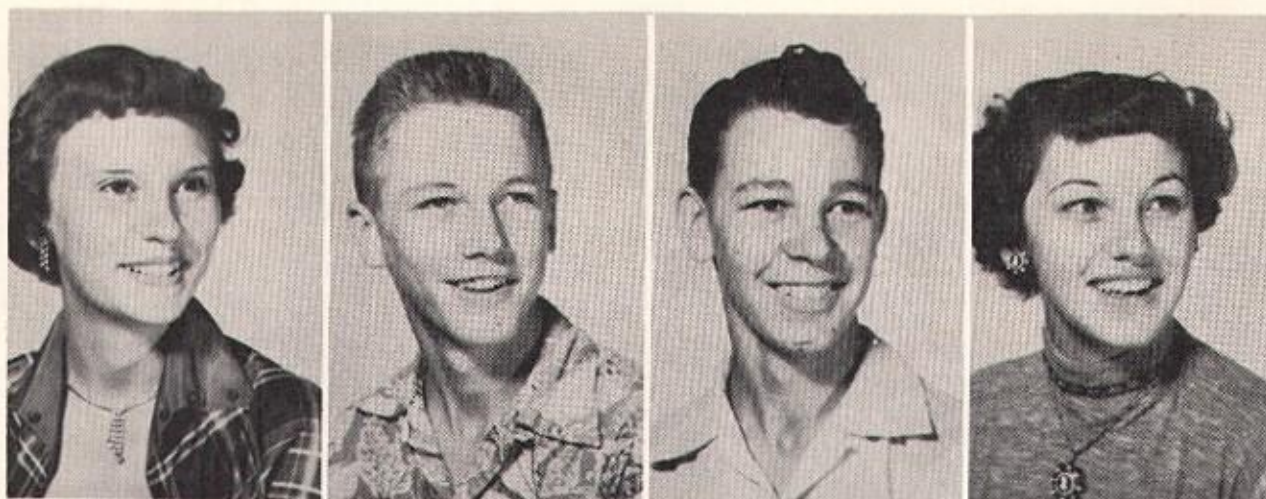
Freshman Officers

Class Parents - - - - -	Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nash
Student Council - - - - -	Teddy Joe Nash
Secretary - - - - -	Sue Fielder
President - - - - -	Betty Davis
Game Leader - - - - -	Rozella Merkey
Reporter - - - - -	Woodrow McCormick
Vice President - - - - -	Billy Ray Dempsey
Sponsor - - - - -	Mr. Elwood Riley

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Cordell, Okla.

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Cordell, Okla.

WASHITA THEATRE
Cordell, Okla.



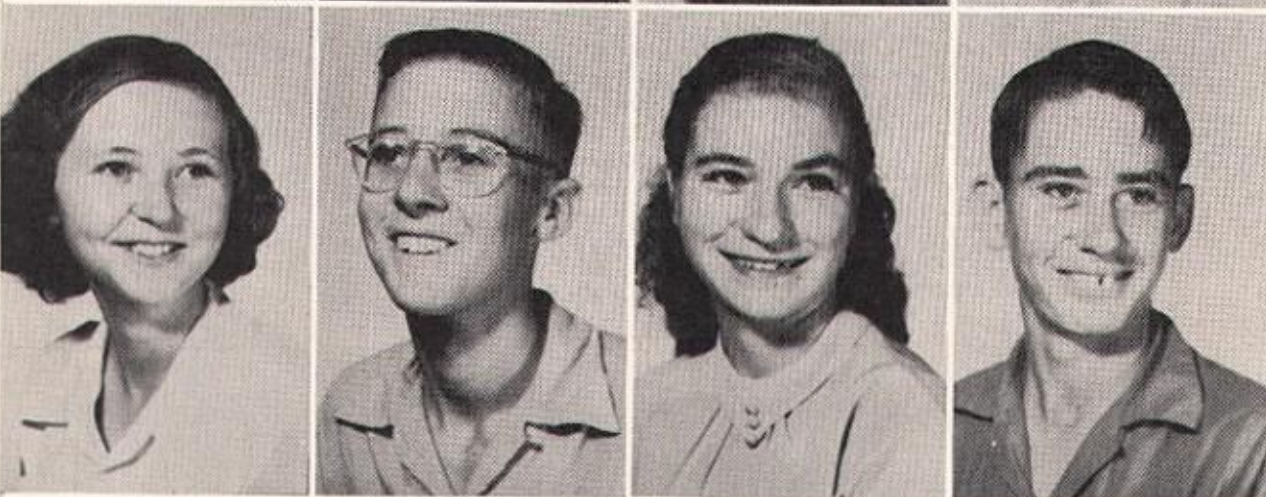
Sue Fielder
Teddy Joe Nash
Jimmy Dee Teeter
Bertie Reinschmidt



Patsy Muse
James Etris
Betty Davis
Jimmy Gore



Luella Arganbright
Carl McClure
Charline Eskew
Woodrow McCormick



Sandra Robinson
Billy Dempsey
Roszella Merkey
Donnie Vickery



Billy Bottom
Gloris Garner

WHITE'S AUTO STORE
Owned and Operated by
L. O. Maynard
Cordell, Oklahoma



ELEMENTARY



Seventh and Eighth Grade Officers

Front row: Seventh Grade from left to right:

Thurman Morris-	-----	Secretary
Carrol Sturgeon-	-----	Reporter
Bill Womack-	-----	Student Council
Wesley McMormick-	-----	President
Gary Riley-	-----	-Vice President
		Student Council

Second row, Eighth Grade

Mr. and Mrs. McMormick-	-----	Seventh Class Parents
Ronnie Sturgeon-	-----	President
Perry Don Shepard-	-----	Reporter and Student Council
Jerry Sheilds-	-----	Secretary
Mr. Adams-	-----	-Sponsor
Ellawaise Bette-	-----	Vice President
La Nita Nicholes-	-----	Student Council
Mr. and Mrs. Sturgeon-	-----	Eighth Class Parents

CORDELL NATIONAL BANK
Cordell, Oklahoma

Ellawise Betcher
 Jerry Shields
 Kathryn Merrill
 Ronnie Sturgeon



La Nita Nichols
 Billy Vickery
 Linda Sue Igo
 Johnny Swisher



Eighth Grade



Linda Gail Womack



Jimmy Daubert
 Glenda Martin
 Perry Don Shepard



Ruby Coffey
 Leon Isaac
 Rosa Arganbright

THE RED BARN BAR-BE-CUE AND STEAKS
Cordell, Oklahoma

Seventh Grade

Eddie Allen
Leland Arganbright
Leon Burns



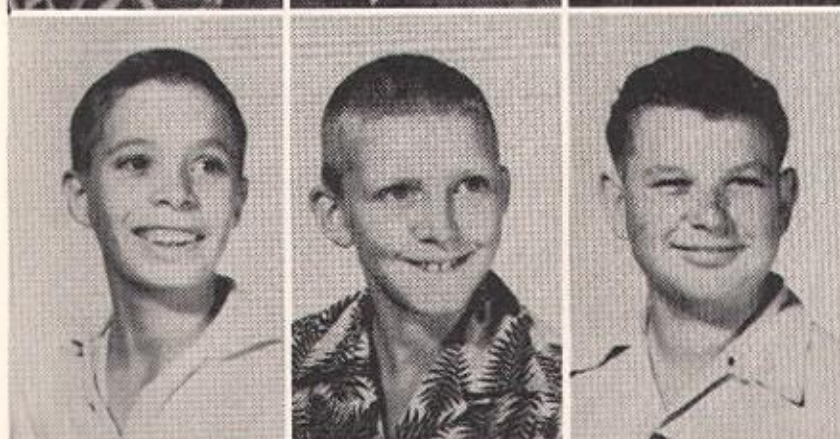
Rebecca Dempsey
Jeanell Skidmore
Gaylon Francis



THE CORDELL LUMBER CO.



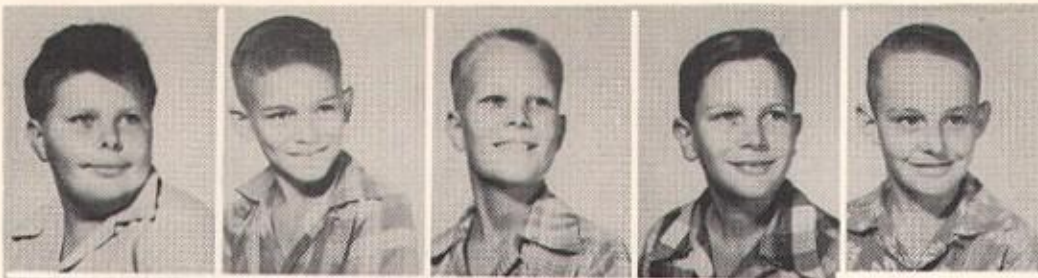
Donald Hulsey
Thurman Morris
Wesley McCormick



Gary Riley
Carroll Sturgeon
Junior Taylor



Bill Womack



Billy Arganbright
Jerry Etris
Kermit Muse
Johnny Smith
Arlen Vickery



James Womack
Wayne Martin
Carolyn Betche
Marilyn Betche

Fifth Grade



Ramona Clanahan
Wanda Daubert
Linda Dempsey
Linda McClure



Cleta McCormick
Syliva Morris
Nickols Vera
Sharon Smith

JOHNSTON BROTHERS
Farmers National Bank Bldg.
Cordell Oklahoma - Phone 156

Sixth Grade

Larry Garner
Udell Isaac
Dwayne Lee
Harold Joe Haggard



Tommy Skidmore
Eddie Swisher
Maurice Holman
Betty Burns



Carolyn Davis
Myrtle Ryan
Reta Smith
Linda Squires



Bill Martin
Anita Teeter
Darvin Smith
Verla Beth Eskew



Eddie Muse
Patricia Morris
Melvin Merrill



Third Grade

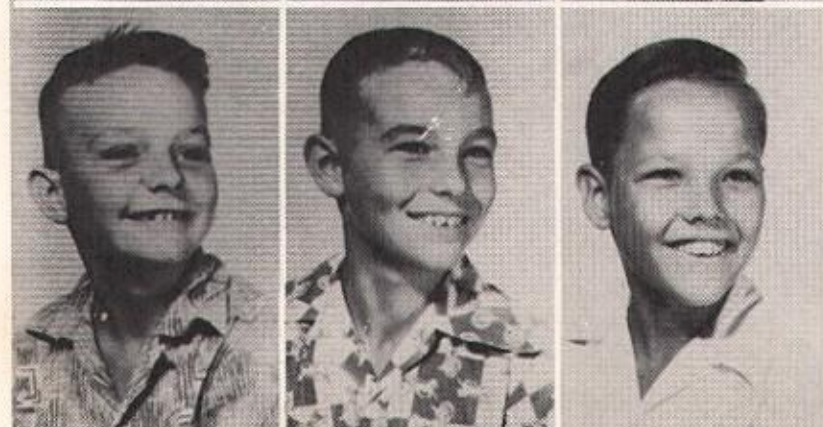
John Womack
Douglas Gore
Bobbie Weber



Fourth Grade



Alvis Ryan
Lester Burns
Janice Taylor



Roy Vickery
Steve Fite
Johnny Skidmore



Second Grade

Rex Bottom
Jimmy Allen
Troy Eskew

Jerry Francis
Linda Allen
Arley Fite

Danny Taylor
Gary Merkey
Teddy Joe Merkey

First Grade

Freda Dempsey
Max Fite
Bonnie Skidmore

Kenneth Merkey
David Thurman
Judy Dempsey





FAVORITES



Senior King
and Queen
LELAND WOMACK
and
BETTY WOMACK



Junior High
King and Queen
CARROLL STURGEON
and
REBECCA DEMPSEY



Grade King
and Queen
BOBBY WEBER
and
ANITA TEETER



Senior Basketball
King and Queen
LARRY HALFORD
and
IDA FAYE ANDREWS



Grade Basketball
King and Queen
TEDDY NASH
and
SUE FIELDER

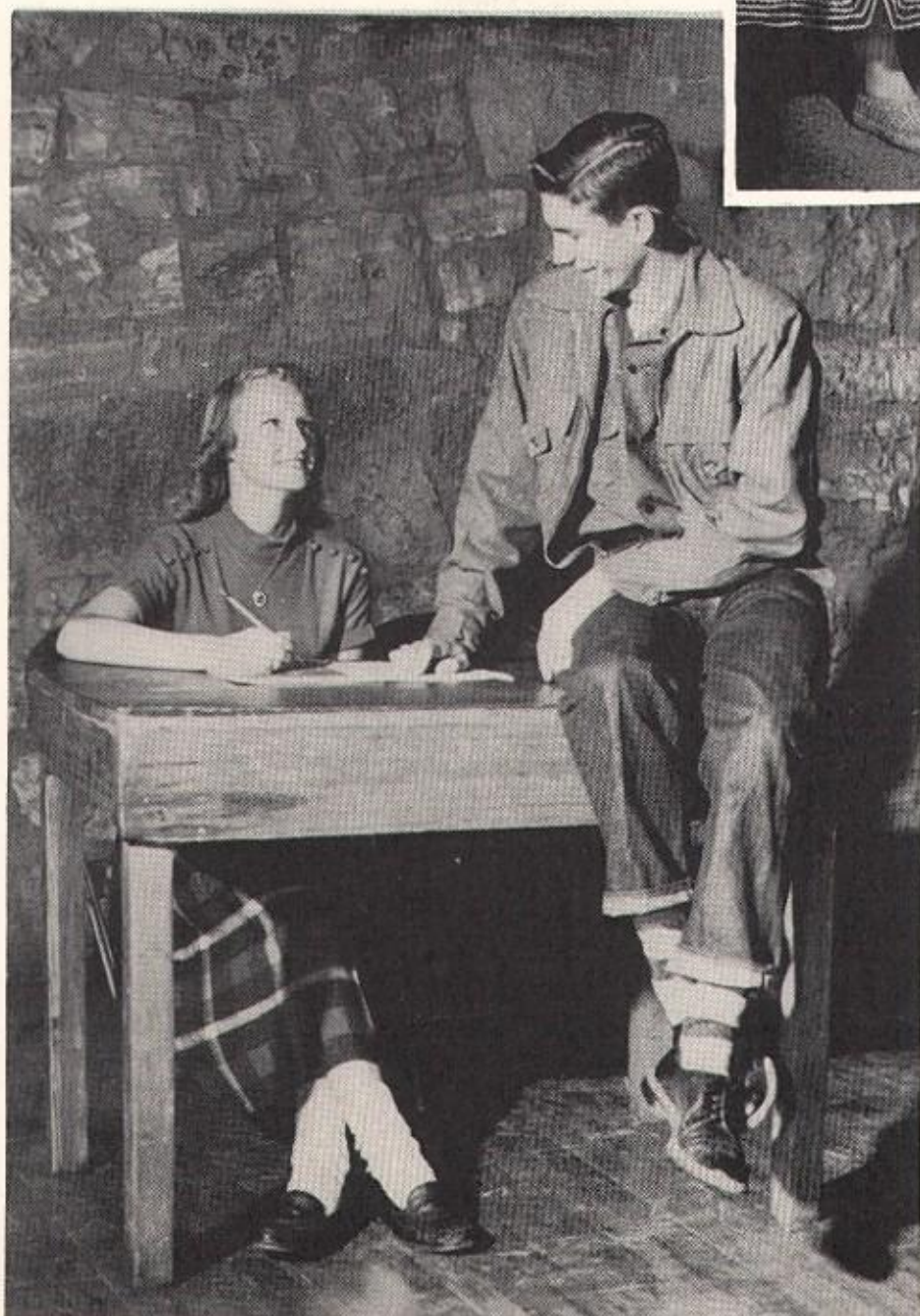


Senior Baseball
King and Queen
C. W. SHARP
and
SAN PIERCE

Most Outstanding

SAN PIERCE

LARRY HALFORD



Most Popular

VONDILEE BETCHE

LARRY HALFORD

FARMERS CO-OP GIN

Gotebo, Oklahoma



ATHLETICS



Senior Girls' Basketball Team



Senior Boys' Basketball Team



Junior High Basketball Team



Junior High Boys' Basketball Team



Senior Girls' Softball Team

RITE WAY
LAUNDRY
Cordell, Oklahoma



Senior Boys' Baseball Team

STEAK HOUSE
Cordell, Oklahoma



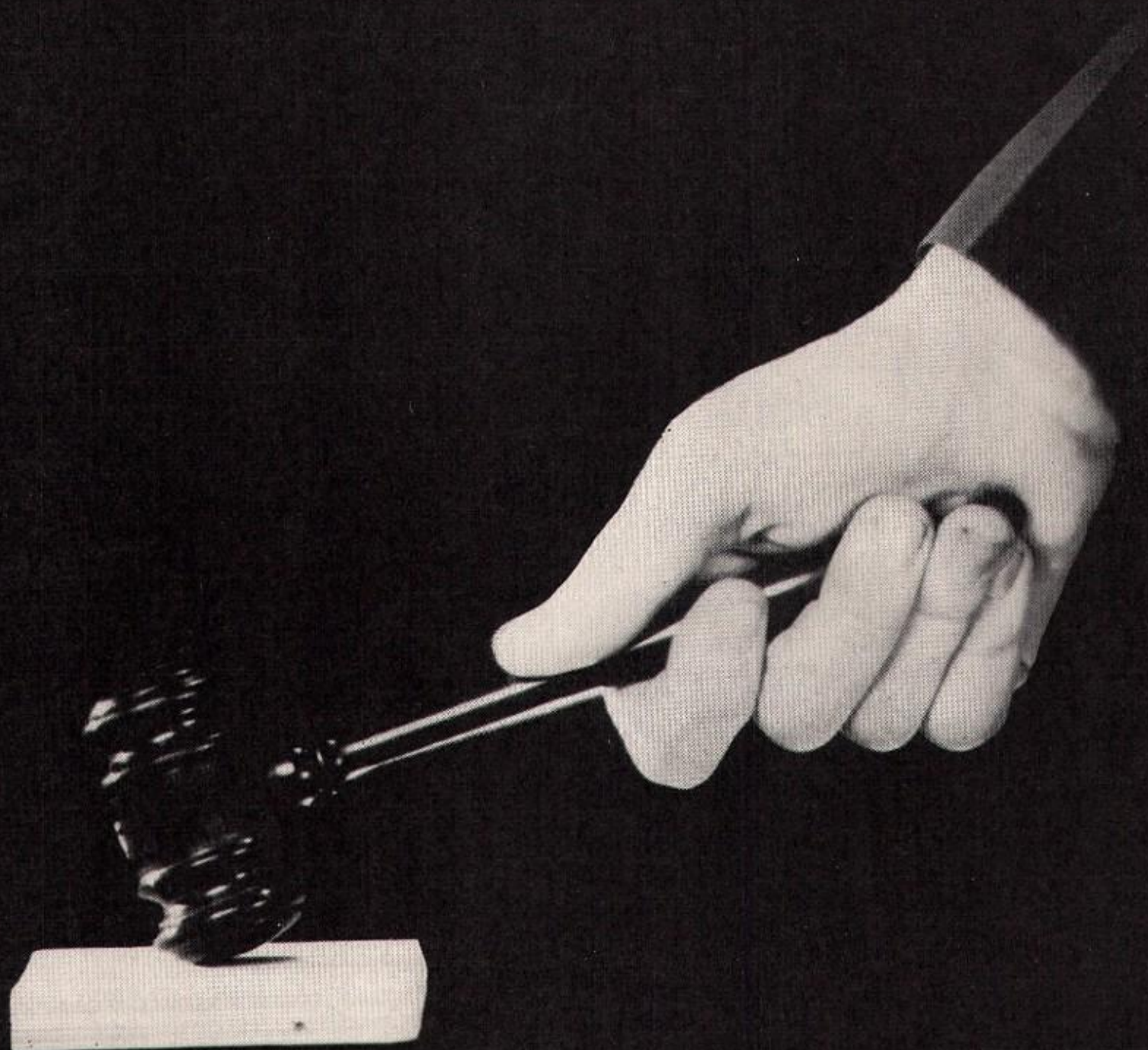
Junior Girls' Softball Team

DAVIDSON & CASE
Cordell, Oklahoma



Junior Boys' Baseball Team

OKLAHOMA FARMERS
UNION
Lester Richey



ORGANIZATIONS



Ida Faye Andrews- - - - -Assistant Editor
 Elwood Riley - - - - - Sponsor
 Joyce Richey- - - - - Editor-in-Chief



Bottom row: Joyce Ann Haggard, Business Manager; C. W. Sharp, Typist; Georgia Womack, Reporter; Joyce Richey, Editor; Kenneth Davis, Feature Editor; Larry Halford, Photographer.

Top row: San Pierce, Sports Reporter; Betty Womack, Typist; Lealand Womack, Reporter; Vondilee Betcher, Typist; Mr. Riley, Sponsor; Leola Allen, Reporter; Ida Faye Andrews, Assistant Editor.



Student Council

CANNON AUTO SUPPLY
Cordell, Oklahoma



Paper Staff

O. K. TIRE & BATTER
Cordell, Oklahoma



Senior 4-H Club

7-UP BOTTLING CO.
Clinton, Oklahoma



Junior 4-H Club



High School Chorus



Ida Faye Andrews
Leola Allen

Girls' Quartet
Dorths Smith, Instructor

San Pierce
Geneva Betcher



High School Quintet, left to right: Melba McCormick, Ida Faye Andrews, Leola Allen, Geneva Betche and San Pierce. Instructor: Dortha Smith.



High School Sextet, left to right: Edna Medders, Claudine Igo, Bertie Reinschmidt, Sue Fielder, Vonda Lee Betche, Patsy Muse and Dortha Smith as instructor.



LAKE VALLEY SCHOOL

TIME CRAFT JEWELRY
Cordell, Oklahoma



Cooks
EDNA SQUIRES - PEGGY PIERCE

CORDELL CLEANERS
Cordell, Oklahoma

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